



PAGE COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
RECESSED MEETING FROM DECEMBER 11, 2001
GENERAL DISTRICT COURTROOM
DECEMBER 12, 2001
5:00 PM

MEMBERS PRESENT: Allen Cubbage, Chairman, District 3

Nora Belle Comer, Vice Chairman, District 1

Elaine Mayberry, Supervisor, District 2

Gerald Cubbage, Supervisor, District 4 Robert Good, Supervisor, District 5

ALSO PRESENT: William Aleshire, Zoning Administrator

Donna Hoke, Clerk

Call to order:

Chairman Allen Cubbage called the meeting of December 12, 2001 to order.

Agenda:

Supervisor Good moved to approve the agenda of December 12, 2001 as presented.

Supervisor Mayberry seconded. The motion was carried by a vote of 5-0.

AYES: Elaine Mayberry, Nora Belle Comer, Gerald Cubbage,
Robert Good, and Allen Cubbage.

NAYS: None

Approval of minutes:

Supervisor Good moved the minutes of November 29, 2001 be approved.

Supervisor Gerald Cabbage seconded. The motion was carried by a vote of 5-0.

AYES: Robert Good, Gerald Cabbage, Allen Cabbage

Elaine Mayberry, and Nora Belle Comer.

NAYS: None

Redistricting:

Chairman Cabbage noted that the previous night had drawn questions about the population figures for each district. It was acknowledged that these figures have now been confirmed through Windy Stine from the Shenandoah Valley Regional Commission as being correct figures for all districts.

Supervisor Good wanted it noted for the record that the meeting tonight displays maps in the order of A,B,C,D & E, with the committee's proposals being A,B, & C, and Watkin's proposal being viewed as D & E. All Supervisors were asked if they clearly understood which proposals were being reviewed.

Supervisor Gerald Cabbage noted his concern that the proposed plan D would eliminate a Planning Commissioner from continued service in his district. Supervisor Good noted that this would be a small matter to contend with.

Supervisor Mayberry noted that going with the proposed six districts would cost the County an additional 300,000.00 due to the need for paying additional staff, machines, training, and expenses.

Supervisor Gerald Cabbage voiced that the citizens and the three towns viewed six districts as their choice. Supervisor Good noted that only 6 people spoke in favor of six districts at the public hearing, with Supervisor Gerald Cabbage concluding that nobody had spoke in favor of remaining with five districts.

Supervisor Comer commented that deviating from five districts changes everything too drastically. Supervisor Comer noted that Mr. Watkins redrew the lines very easily and these figures have been certified.

Chairman Allen Cabbage noted that he did not have any problems with plans A or D.

Supervisor Gerald Cabbage brought to the Boards attention that if they would decide to go with plan D,

that the boundary lines were not correct, noting that Collins Avenue was not clearly marked as to which district it would be in.

MOTION:

Supervisor Mayberry moved to accept plan D proposal, being Watkins

five districts for the redistricting.

Supervisor Comer seconded. The motion was carried by a vote of 4-1.

Roll Call Vote:

Elaine Mayberry AYE

Nora Belle Comer AYE

Robert Good AYE

Allen Cabbage AYE

Gerald Cabbage NAY

Supervisor Gerald Cabbage noted that he could not rightly justify voting for plan D when it would be moving a Planning Commission out of his district and that the boundary lines were incorrect.

Redistricting resolution: (attachment #1 resolution, ordinance, and map)

Supervisor Mayberry read the resolution to adopt the redistricting plan for Page County.

MOTION:

Supervisor Mayberry moved to adopt the redistricting plan for Page

County to incorporate plan D into the resolution.

Supervisor Comer seconded. The motion was carried by a vote of 4-1.

Roll Call Vote:

Elaine Mayberry AYE

Nora Belle Comer AYE

Robert Good AYE

Allen Cubbage AYE

Gerald Cubbage NAY

Legal Council meeting:

Discussion took place regarding setting a different date to meet with legal Counsel, as they will not be available for the previous set date.

It was decided that they would set a meeting date of December 19, 2001 in the General District Courtroom.

Recess: 5:30 p.m.

The meeting was recessed until December 19, 2001 at 9:00 in the General District Courtroom to meet with legal council.

CHAIRMAN COUNTY ADMINISTRATOR

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